In regards to BPL, you have totally forgot the meaning of common sense. Why do you think Japan has put a ban BPL, as well as the Austrian authorities pulling the plug on their pilot BPL project. The ARRL has done some testing also and found noise levels un acceptable. The very power company that serves my area operates their radio system on 47&48 mhz. Freq., how do you think they are going to use their radios when BPL is turned on? There are many licensed services between 1.7 & 80 mhz. I think you need to take a long hard look at your list of licensees as well as all the Amateur licensees. Forget the politics and use common sense. Also what do you think a computer is going to do when a transmitter keys up near by with that big long power line antenna hooked to it? If you think you have lightning problems now, with the AC lines connected to the computer power supply & the modem as well - I see smoke & fire. We don't need anymore Part 15 type of interference, it is everywhere now incase you don't know that already. If you read the farm magazines, wireless RF internet services are the way to go ., or some phone companies are updating their 40-50 year old lines to fiber optic right up to the side of your house- even in the rural farm areas. Please rethink this and do something right for once without big politics.

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